

**PSYCHOLOGY EXAMINING BOARD  
REGULAR MEETING  
APRIL 17, 2002**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Don Crowder, PHD; James Fico, PHD; Mariellen Fischer, PHD;  
B. Ann Neviaser; Barbara Van Horne, PHD

**MEMBER EXCUSED:** McArthur Weddle

**STAFF PRESENT:** Kimberly Nania, Bureau Director; John Schweitzer, Legal  
Counsel; Karen Rude-Evans, Program Assistant

**GUEST:** Sarah Bowen, WPA

**CALL TO ORDER**

Chair Barbara Van Horne called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m.

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

Amendments: -B. Ann Neviaser participated in Screening Committee. McArthur Weddle was not present.  
-Correspondence from Stephanie Reiter re: temporary practice in Wisconsin  
-Administrative Warning

**MOTION:** Don Crowder moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to approve the agenda as amended. Motion carried unanimously.

**REVIEW OF DRAFT MINUTES OF MARCH 27, 2002**

Corrections: -On page 1, under MINUTES, in the fifth line, delete "it" and insert "its".  
-On page 2, under PUBLIC HEARING, amend that heading to read "PUBLIC HEARING RELATING TO THE SCHEDULING OF EXAMINATIONS" and delete the second sentence in the paragraph under that heading and replace with, "Written comments and testimony must be received by the Department no later than April 12, 2002."  
-On page 2, under PRESENTATION OF PROPOSED STIPULATIONS, delete the last "S" in the heading. Under Donald Platner, delete the first sentence and replace with, "DOE attorney Mike Berndt presented a proposed stipulation in the matter concerning Donald J. Platner, M.S. This matter will be deliberated on in closed session." In the following paragraph, in the first sentence delete "was concerned" and replace with "discussed concern". Delete the first half of the second sentence and replace with "The Board would like to investigate the possibility of doing a routine criminal background check of all applicants through the national data bank, HIPDB, ..."

- On pages 2-3, under Wisconsin Psychology Board mission and functions, in the first sentence delete “see” and also delete “in action”. Delete sentences 2, 3 and 4, and insert “It was agreed the Board would explore ways to improve efficiency.” Delete the first two sentences at the top of page 3, and insert “The Board discussed the process for new appointments to the Board.” A period should be inserted after the third sentence. In the fourth sentence, delete “through their publications”. At the end of the paragraph, add the sentence “The Board reiterated interest in geographical representation as well as expertise in major areas of psychology.”
- On page 5, under APPLICATION REVIEW, change REVIEW to REVIEWS.
- On page 5, under Renee H. Cordery, Psy.D., at the end of the first sentence, add “and marital conjoint.”
- On Page 5, under Shoshana Hellman, in the first sentence, delete the second “is” and delete the slash mark after “counseling”, and after “psychology” insert “and that she accurately represents her credentials in her resume/vita.”
- On page 5, insert the heading PROPOSED STIPULATION before Donald J. Platner.

**MOTION:** Ann Neviaser moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to approve the Minutes of March 27, 2002 as corrected.

Barbara Van Horne asked that the corrected Minutes be emailed to her for review.

## **PRESENTATION OF PROPOSED STIPULATION**

### **JAMES A DICKERSON, PHD**

DOE attorney Jack Zwieg presented a proposed stipulation in the matter concerning James A. Dickerson, Ph.D. This matter will be deliberated on in closed session.

## **SUMMARY REPORTS ON PENDING COURT CASES, DISCIPLINARY CASES AND ADMINISTRATIVE RULES**

These reports were informational.

## **DISCUSSION WITH MIKE BERNDT REGARDING DOE COMPLAINT AND SCREENING PROCESSES**

DOE attorney supervisor Mike Berndt spoke with the Board regarding the complaint and screening processes. Mr. Berndt handed out some very helpful information and flow charts.

## **SCOPE STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED RULES REGARDING MINOR CHANGES TO EXISTING RULES**

This item was informational. Legal counsel will make some changes to the rule draft and bring them back to the next Board meeting for review.

## **PROPOSED SUPERVISION FORMS**

The Board reviewed the proposed supervision forms and made some changes. These forms are still a work in progress and will be reviewed again when the changes have been made.

## **WISCONSIN PSYCHOLOGY BOARD MISSION AND FUNCTIONS**

This item was informational.

## **ASPPB DRAFT OF GUIDELINES FOR PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY**

This item was informational.

## **ACCEPTANCE OF EPPP FROM NATIONAL/STATE REGULATORY AGENCY**

The Board will not accept EPPP scores from other state regulatory agencies or national organizations. Passing scores vary from state to state, and for this reason, the Board will only accept scores that are verified directly from ASPPB.

## **CE AUDIT**

The CE audit is going well. The Board acknowledged Jan Johnson and the great job she has done with the audit.

## **REGULATORY DIGEST ARTICLES**

Articles are still needed for the Regulatory Digest.

## **CORRESPONDENCE FROM CAROL MORESCO-GONIU, PHD**

The correspondence from Carol Moresco-Goniu, Ph.D., was informational.

## **REVIEW OF INQUIRIES RECEIVED BY LEGAL COUNSEL**

The Board reviewed the inquiries received by legal counsel and directed his responses.

## **VISITOR COMMENTS**

Sarah Bowen said WPA is very interested in seeing parity language retained in the state budget repair bill. WPA held its annual convention last week.

## **RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION**

**MOTION:** Mariellen Fischer moved, seconded by Don Crowder, to recess to closed session pursuant to Chapter 19.85(1)(a), (b), (f) and (g), Wis. Stats., for the purpose of conducting oral interviews, reviewing additional information

from applicants, reviewing a request to expand practice, application reviews, deliberation of proposed stipulation, consideration of voluntary surrender of license, reviewing a supervisor, consideration of an administrative warning, reviewing case status report and consulting with legal counsel. Roll call vote: Don Crowder – yes, James Fico – yes, Mariellen Fischer – yes, Ann Neviaser – yes, Barbara Van Horne - yes. Motion carried unanimously.

Open session recessed at 10:21 a.m.

### **RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION**

**MOTION:** Ann Neviaser moved, seconded by Don Crowder, to reconvene in open session. Motion carried unanimously.

Open session reconvened at 2:31 p.m.

### **VOTING ON ITEMS CONSIDERED/DELIBERATED ON IN CLOSED SESSION**

#### **VOLUNTARY SURRENDER OF LICENSE**

##### **GERALD DELOYE, PHD**

**MOTION:** Ann Neviaser moved, seconded by Don Crowder, to accept the voluntary surrender of license of Gerald DeLoye, Ph.D. Motion carried unanimously.

#### **REVIEW OF SUPERVISOR**

##### **GARY MAJOR, PHD**

**MOTION:** Ann Neviaser moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to have the department monitor correspond with Gary Major, Ph.D., that it is unclear if his supervisor, Dr. Lueck, is actually reviewing his case records. Motion carried unanimously.

#### **APPLICATION REVIEW**

##### **BETTIE JANE LARUS, PHD**

**MOTION:** Don Crowder moved, seconded by James Fico, to admit Bettie Jane Larus, Ph.D., to the ethics exam and personal appearance. Motion carried unanimously.

## **REQUEST TO EXPAND SCOPE OF PRACTICE**

**MARY V HESS, PHD**

**MOTION:** James Fico moved, seconded by Don Crowder, to deny the request to expand practice to Mary V. Hess, Ph.D., as Dr. Hess has not met the supervision requirement to add supervision to her scope of practice. EMDR is a therapeutic technique and not an area of expertise. Dr. Hess should also be informed that she cannot use the title “clinical” psychologist unless she graduated from a clinical program. Motion carried unanimously.

## **PROPOSED STIPULATION**

**JAMES A DICKERSON, PHD**

**MOTION:** Ann Neviaser moved, seconded by Don Crowder, to reject the stipulation as written and return it to DOE. Motion carried unanimously.

## **ADMINISTRATIVE WARNING**

**CONNIE A O’HERON, PHD**

**MOTION:** James Fico moved, seconded by Don Crowder, to issue an administrative warning in the matter concerning Connie A. O’Herron, Ph.D. Motion carried unanimously.

## **CASE STATUS REPORT**

**MOTION:** Don Crowder moved, seconded by James Fico, to close complaint **99 PSY 048** for insufficient evidence. Case advisor was Don Crowder. Motion carried unanimously.

**MOTION:** Ann Neviaser moved, seconded by James Fico, to close complaint **01 PSY 021** for insufficient evidence. Case advisor was Ann Neviaser. Motion carried unanimously.

## **ADDITIONAL APPLICANT INFORMATION**

**MOTION:** Ann Neviaser moved, seconded by James Fico, to accept the additional information from oral candidate **Renee Cordery, Psy.D.** Motion carried unanimously.

## **ORAL INTERVIEWS**

**MOTION:** James Fico moved, seconded by Don Crowder, to grant licenses for the practice of psychology to **Rebecca Angle, Ph.D.** and **Renee Cordery, Psy.D.** Motion carried unanimously.

## **NOMINATION FOR ASPPB PRESIDENT-ELECT**

**MOTION:** Ann Neviasser moved, seconded by James Fico, to support the nomination of Barbara Van Horne for ASPPB president-elect. Barbara Van Horne abstained. Motion carried.

## **PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY FOR PSYCHOLOGISTS**

**MOTION:** James Fico moved, seconded by Don Crowder, to support prescriptive authority for psychologists. Motion carried unanimously.

**MOTION:** James Fico moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to call for legislation to allow prescriptive authority for psychologists. Motion carried unanimously.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

**MOTION:** Ann Neviasser moved, seconded by James Fico, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 3:36 p.m.

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